



City of Alameda California

## **AGENDA**

REGULAR MEETING OF  
CITY OF ALAMEDA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION  
THURSDAY, JULY 17, 2008  
7:30 p.m.

*(Doors open by 7:15 p.m.)*

Council Chambers, Alameda City Hall  
2263 Santa Clara Avenue

Anyone wishing to speak on any item on the agenda or business brought up by Commissioners or a member of the public may do so when the subject is brought up for discussion. (Please file a speaker's slip.)

**If you wish to address the Commission, please file a speaker's slip with the Secretary.**

- **Upon recognition by the Chair, approach the rostrum and state your name and address. Speakers are limited to five (5) minutes per item.**
- **Lengthy testimony should be submitted in writing and only a summary of pertinent points presented verbally.**

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
2. MINUTES
  - 2.a. Minutes of the Regular Meeting of June 19, 2008
3. CONSENT CALENDAR
4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS - PUBLIC
5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

6. NEW BUSINESS

- 6.a. "Superstore Prohibition" The City of Alameda is considering an amendment to the Alameda Municipal Code to prohibit retail stores larger than 90,000 square feet in size that include more than ten percent (10%) floor area devoted to the sale of non-taxable items. The proposed prohibition would apply in all zoning districts in the city. Staff is requesting the Economic Development Commission review the proposed zoning amendments and make a recommendation to the City Council.

7. REPORTS

- 7.a. Oral Report: Commission Member Schmitz – EDC Representative to the Bicycle Plan Task Force
- 7.b. Oral Report: Commission Member Schmitz – EDC Representative to the Alameda Point Advisory Task Force

8. WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

- 8.a. Upcoming EDC Agenda Items
- 8.b. *Redevelopment – Building Better Communities*

9. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – COMMISSION MEMBERS AND STAFF

10. ADJOURNMENT

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